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SUBJECT: ANNUAL REVIEW OF STATE-DOD MOU ON SECURITY-ANNUAL
REVIEW OF MOA FOR KYRGYZSTAN

REF: 198572

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¶1. (SBU) Per reftel, on January 22, 2007 the DCM chaired a meeting of the Emergency Action Committee (EAC) to review the Memorandum of Agreement Between COMS and COCOMS on Security of DOD Elements and Personnel in Foreign Areas and Additional Annex A Review. Present were: DCM, RSO, POL/ECON, CONS, CLO, ADM, USAID, PAS, SAO, DAO, RLA, Peace Corps, and CDR and JAG from Manas Air Base.

¶2. (SBU) The DCM recommended that the EAC appoint a committee to carry out the review of the MOA and the EAC agreed unanimously. The EAC appointed a committee consisting of DCM, RSO, ADM, SAO, DAO, RLA, and CDR and JAG from Manas Air Base. The Committee met and Reviewed the MOA, including Annexes A and B and agreed to propose the following changes:

a. Annex A, Paragraph 4(a): Currently some long-term TDY personnel under COM authority do not have residential guards at their apartment buildings. RSO will address this deficiency. Future long-term TDY personnel will be housed in apartment buildings that already have residential guard service and will be required to have a security briefing from the RSO. Short-term TDY personnel will be housed in hotels that have been preapproved by the RSO and are considered secure, and will have a shortened security briefing from the RSO.

b. Annex A, Paragraph 8: Language will be proposed to read "DoD personnel, not performing a CDRUSCENTCOM mission (or deleted) and (added) whose TDY orders do not specify the authority responsible for force protection, transiting through Kyrgyzstan in a temporary duty status." The DAO will draft proposed language to be added by CENTCOM to DoD personnel's orders designating authority for force protection. This change will clarify that COM authority will not extend to the large number of TDYers who are performing a CDRUSCENTCOM mission, but whose orders do not specify the authority responsible for force protection.

c. Annex B remains unchanged.

¶3. (SBU) The DCM requested that DAO provide a list of all long-term DoD TDY personnel to the RSO by COB Friday, January 26, 2007 to ensure that Embassy Bishkek is providing

appropriate security force protection to all non-CENTCOM DoD personnel.

¶4. (SBU) The Embassy will respond to reftel via e-mail as instructed.
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